GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONTROLLER OF LEGAL METROLOGY, AP, VIJAYAWADA PRESENT: Sri E. Damodar, IPS.,

Procs. No. 566/T/L/2017

Dated:31-03-2019

Sub: Technical - Department of Legal Metrology -EoDB - Implementation of recommendation No. 68, 69 & 70 of DPIIT under the BRAP Reform 2019 - Certain guidelines issued for Inspection of Licensing premises based on the Risk Criteria and random computer allocation of Inspecting Officer- Orders - Issued - Reg.

Ref: G.O.Ms. No. 7, CA,F & CS (CS.II) Department, dated.31-3-2019

ORDER:

As per the recommendation No.69 of DPIIT under the BRAP Reforms 2019, it is mandatory on the part of the LM Department to design and implement a system which is capable of

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1. Identifying the licences that need to be inspected

2. Computerized allocation of inspectors (Inspecting officers)

3. Allowing the users to view and download submitted inspection reports of atleast past 3 years

For implementing the above reforms, the procedure, checklist (documents) and the Risk based Criteria should be made available on the Department's Website. With regard to Point No. 1 above, the identification of licences for the purpose of inspection is taken up on the basis of Rule 27 of Legal Metrology (General) Rules 2011.

The following are the types of licenses/weights and measures where inspections are subjected:-

(i) Types of weights and measures subjected for inspection:

1	Storage Tanks
2	All weights, capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and
	counter machine
3	All weight or measure including tank lorry other than weights,
	capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and counter
	machine and storage tanks

(ii) Types of licences subjected for inspection:

1	Manufacturing Licence of all weight or measure other than Storage Tanks	
2	Manufacturing Licence of Storage Tanks	
3	Repairing Licence of all weights, capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and counter machine	
4	Repairing Licence of all weight or measure including tank lorry other than weights, capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and counter machine and storage tanks	
5	Repairing Licence (Calibration) of Storage Tanks	
6	Dealing Licence for all weight or measure	

Accordingly, depending upon the periodic necessity of renewal and inspection the licences of Manufacturing, Repairing, and Dealing of Weight or Measure are classified into 3 risk categories. The following are the risk criteria and frequency of inspection used to identify licences that need to be inspected.

Frequency& Risk category of inspection of licensees:

a. Manufacturer

S No.	inspected and vermed	Risk category	At least Periodicity
	Manufacturing Licence of Storage Tanks	Low	36 months
	Manufacturing Licence of all weight or measure other than Storage Tanks	High	12 months

b. Repairer

S No.	Description of Weight or measure to be inspected and Verified	Risk category	At least Periodicity
1	Repairing Licence (Calibration) of Storage Tanks	Low	36 months
	Repairing Licence of all weights, capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and counter machine	Medium	24 months
	Repairing Licence of all weight or measure including tank lorry other than weights, capacity measures, length measures, tape, beam scale and counter machine and storage tanks	High	12 months

c. Dealer

S No.	Description of Weight or measure to be inspected and Verified	Risk Category	Atleast periodicity
1	Dealing Licence for all weight or measure	High	12 months

Based on the above categorization, the computer in the Central Inspection System automatically allocates the inspectors for inspection on a random basis.

Accordingly, all the authorized LMOs (all JCs & DCs) are directed to strictly follow the above said guidelines for conducting the inspections of licence premises at the time of issue and renewal of licences. It is also directed that all inspections, as allocated randomly, are to be carried out as per the schedule and the inspection reports are to be uploaded online within 48 hours of inspection.

Sd/- E. Damodar, Controller, Legal Metrology, AP, Vijayawada.

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